

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 1120 - SB 1114

March 26, 2019

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Creates a state government advisory task force on extreme weather and community resilience. Establishes that the task force shall consist of 24 members, 2 of which are to be legislative members.

The task force will be administratively attached to the Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC). Authorizes the co-chairs of the task force to obtain assistance from appropriate state agencies. Requires the task force to report annually to the General Assembly by February 1.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures – \$2,100

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (006554): Deletes and rewrites all language of the bill such that the only substantive changes are: replacing the two legislative members of the task force with one member appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and one member appointed by the Speaker of the Senate; changing the date in which the task force is required to report its findings to the General Assembly from every February 1 to July 1, 2020; and repealing the task force on July 1, 2020.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- It is estimated that TDEC can provide administrative support to the task force utilizing existing staff and resources.
- Any increase in expenditures to the task force to compile and submit the report by July 1, 2020 will not be significant.
- It is assumed there will be no legislative members serving on this task force.

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- Under the provisions of this legislation, all the task force members shall serve without compensation or reimbursement for any expenses; therefore, it will not result in a significant impact to state expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner". The script is cursive and fluid.

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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